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| UTILITY PATENT APPLICATION TRANSMITTAL (Only for new nonprovisional applications under 37 CFR § 1.53(b)) | Attorney Docket No. | 2002-055 |
| | First Inventor or Application Identifier | Murray et al |
| | Title | VARIABLE-ECCENTRICITY TACTILE GENERATOR |
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| APPLICATION ELEMENTS See MPEP chapter 600 concerning utility patent application contents. | ADDRESS TO: MS Patent Application Commissioner of Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450 |
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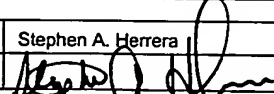
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| Examiner Name | |
| Group Art Unit | |
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| Large Fee Code | Entity Fee (\$) | Small Fee Code | Entity Fee (\$) | Fee Description | Fee Paid |
|---------------------|-----------------|----------------|-----------------|------------------------|----------------|
| 101 | 770 | 201 | 385 | Utility filing fee | \$770 |
| 106 | 340 | 206 | 170 | Design filing fee | |
| 107 | 530 | 207 | 265 | Plant filing fee | |
| 108 | 770 | 208 | 385 | Reissue filing fee | |
| 114 | 160 | 214 | 80 | Provisional filing fee | |
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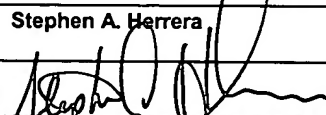
| Total Claims | | Extra Claims | | Fee from below | Fee Paid |
|---------------------------|------------|--------------|----|----------------|----------|
| 48 | -20** = 28 | X | 18 | = | 504 |
| 4 | -3** = 1 | X | 86 | = | 86 |
| Multiple Dependent Claims | | | | X | |

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| Large Fee Code | Entity Fee (\$) | Small Fee Code | Entity Fee (\$) | Fee Description | Fee Paid |
|---------------------|-----------------|----------------|-----------------|---|----------------|
| 103 | 18 | 203 | 9 | Claims in excess of 20 | |
| 102 | 86 | 202 | 43 | Independent claims in excess of 3 | |
| 104 | 290 | 204 | 145 | Multiple dependent claim | |
| 109 | 86 | 209 | 43 | **Reissue independent claims over original patent | |
| 110 | 18 | 210 | 9 | **Reissue claims in excess of 20 and over original patent | |
| SUBTOTAL (2) | | | | | (\$590) |

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| 105 | 130 | 205 | 65 | Surcharge - late filing fee or oath | |
| 127 | 50 | 227 | 25 | Surcharge - late provisional filing fee or cover sheet | |
| 139 | 130 | 139 | 130 | Non-English specification | |
| 147 | 2,520 | 147 | 2,520 | For filing a request for reexamination | |
| 112 | 920* | 112 | 920* | Requesting publication of SIR prior to Examiner action | |
| 113 | 1,840* | 113 | 1,840* | Requesting publication of SIR after Examination action | |
| 115 | 110 | 215 | 55 | Extension for reply within first month | |
| 116 | 420 | 216 | 210 | Extension for reply within second month | |
| 117 | 950 | 217 | 475 | Extension for reply within third month | |
| 118 | 1,480 | 218 | 740 | Extension for reply within fourth month | |
| 128 | 2,0100 | 228 | 1,005 | Extension for reply within fifth month | |
| 119 | 330 | 219 | 165 | Notice of Appeal | |
| 120 | 330 | 220 | 165 | Filing a brief in support of an appeal | |
| 121 | 290 | 221 | 145 | Request for oral hearing | |
| 138 | 1,510 | 138 | 1,510 | Petition to institute a public use proceeding | |
| 140 | 110 | 240 | 55 | Petition to revive - unavoidable | |
| 141 | 1,330 | 241 | 665 | Petition to revive - unintentional | |
| 142 | 1,330 | 242 | 665 | Utility issue fee (or reissue) | |
| 143 | 480 | 243 | 240 | Design issue fee | |
| 144 | 640 | 244 | 320 | Plant issue fee | |
| 122 | 130 | 122 | 130 | Petitions to the Commissioner | |
| 123 | 50 | 123 | 50 | Petitions related to provisional applications | |
| 126 | 180 | 126 | 180 | Submission of Information Disclosure Stmt. | |
| 581 | 40 | 581 | 40 | Recording each patent assignment per property (times number of properties) | 40 |
| 146 | 770 | 246 | 385 | Filing a submission after final rejection (37 CFR 1.129(a)) | |
| 149 | 770 | 249 | 385 | For each additional invention to be examined (37 CFR 1.129(b)) | |
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